UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF SOUTH DAKOTA SOUTHERN DIVISION

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

CR05-40101-02

Plaintiff,

FACTUAL BASIS STATEMENT

VS.

STEVEN CRAIG ALEXANDER,

Defendant.

The undersigned parties stipulate that the following facts are true and establish a factual basis for the plea in the action pursuant to Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure 11(b)(3):

On July 22, 2005, defendant Steven Craig Alexander and others were in possession of approximately 90 grams of cocaine base (crack cocaine) while in a motel room in Sioux Falls, SD. Alexander and the others intended to distribute the crack cocaine, but were prevented from doing so because the police discovered the activity and seized the crack cocaine.

The defendant understands that except as limited by section F of the Plea Agreement filed herewith, additional quantities of controlled substances may be attributable to him for sentencing purposes.

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